

Pettengill Prayer Letter

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Mike playing with the boys in the community of Armenia Bonito.

Free Pregnancy Clinic

On August 14th we put on our second clinic in two weeks for the neighborhood of Armenia Bonito. We organized a pregnancy clinic for the women of this poor community. They received prenatal vitamins, blood sugar tests, blood pressure checks, health screening, health education and evangelism. We treated 21 people in three hours.

Missionary Phone Home

Effective immediately we have a new U.S. based phone number. Our new number allows us to make unlimited calls to the U.S. and receive calls from our friends as if they were calling across the street. You can reach us at 916/273-8543.

Mike Travels To The U.S.

Mike is on an 11 day tour of SC, GA and AL. He is sharing the work we are doing at two of our supporting churches. In addition he has a dozen meetings with ministry coordinators at the home office of MTW and with new churches. This trip will provide numerous opportunities to share our work with many new churches and individuals.

Madison's New School

On August 11th Madison started attending 7th grade at La Ceiba Bilingual School. There are 900+ students at this school. The instruction is in Spanish in half of her classes and in English in the other half. She is the only non-Honduran in all of Jr. High. After a hard beginning she is starting to enjoy the school and is making friends.

Drugs And Grants

In August we applied for over two dozen medical grants and scholarships. We have found that there are a large number of pharmaceutical companies, Christian organizations and secular foundations that will give money and/or medical supplies to people who provide healthcare to the poor around the world. The mountain of paperwork has been a lot of effort, but, if even one of the organizations awards us their support we will be in a great position to provide substantially more care.

Our Tentative Schedule

8/29-9/8 – Mike visits churches in SC, GA & AL
9/11 – English classes begin in Armenia Bonito
9/18-21 – Irmo, SC church visits for vision trip
9/25 – visas expire, leave Honduras for 3 days
10/2-4 – Erin attends health seminar in Honduras

Our Specific Prayer Needs

- That we are able to raise sufficient support to purchase a truck for use in our ministry work.
- Mike's trip to SC, GA & AL is safe and benefits missions in Honduras and around the world.
- We begin teaching the first of our weekly English classes on 9/11.
- For us to acquire inexpensive or free medical supplies to treat the poor of Armenia Bonito.